

2008

CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT



ANNUAL REPORT

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*On behalf of the fine men and women of the Carmel Police Department, I want to thank you for your interest in our statistical report for 2008. We are a fast growing, progressive department, **and** are constantly making improvements in the way that we protect and serve the citizens of Carmel, Indiana.*

One of the recent upgrades that we have made is in our "computer-aided dispatch / records management system". 2008 was the inaugural year for this new system and there are some differences in the type of statistics that we collect and the method in which we collect them. As you examine the comparison reports you may see unusually high or low numbers. Our crime analysts assure me that these numbers in no way indicate a crime trend, but more a system that has been studied and made much more efficient and accurate.



For those of you who are not familiar with the history of our fine city, I would like to share with you a bit of its background. The City of Carmel is located in southern Hamilton County, Indiana, just to the north of Indianapolis. Carmel is a vital, growing community of exceptional schools, a thriving Business community, and beautiful family oriented neighborhoods and parks.



Originally founded in 1837 as Bethlehem, the town's name was later changed to Carmel when the town became incorporated. Beginning with the families of four farmers, Carmel has grown in population to over 68,000, and encompasses approximately 40.12 square miles.

The Carmel Police Department is comprised of 104 sworn officers and 20 civilian support personnel. As a internationally accredited law enforcement agency, the department meets the challenge of providing quality law enforcement services to a growing and progressive community.

Again, thank you for your interest. If there is anything that our Department can do for you in the future, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or any of my staff!

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Chief of Police



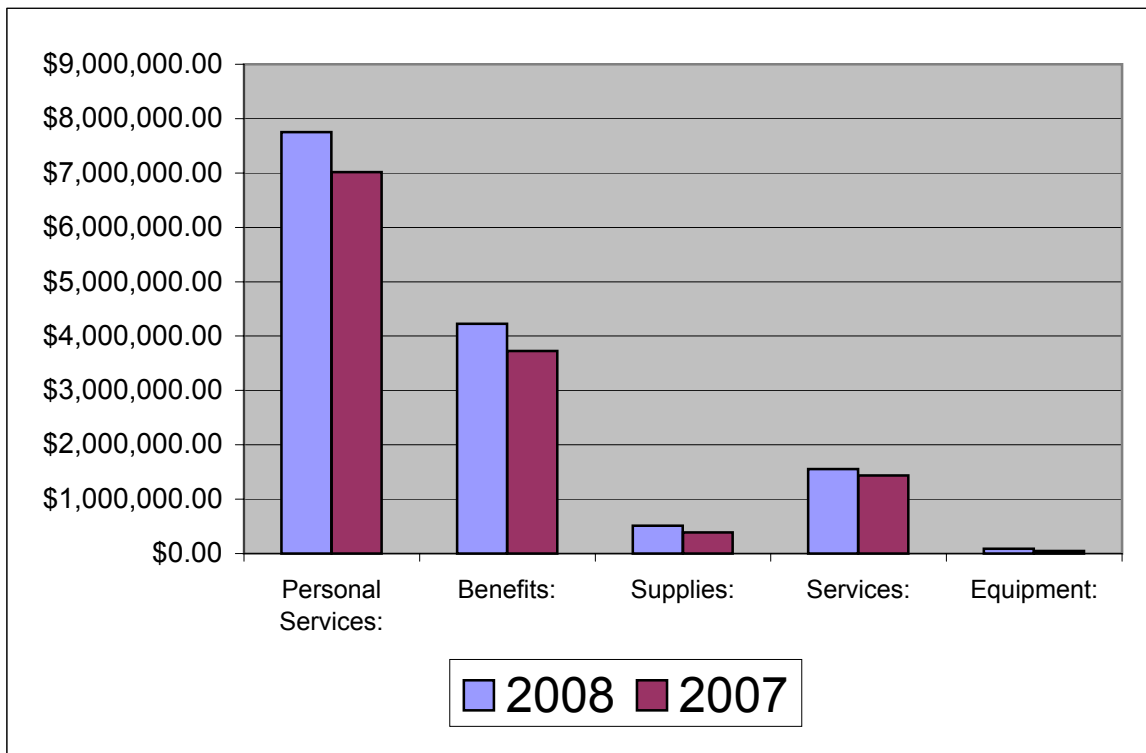


Carmel Police Department

Operating Budget

2008 / 2007

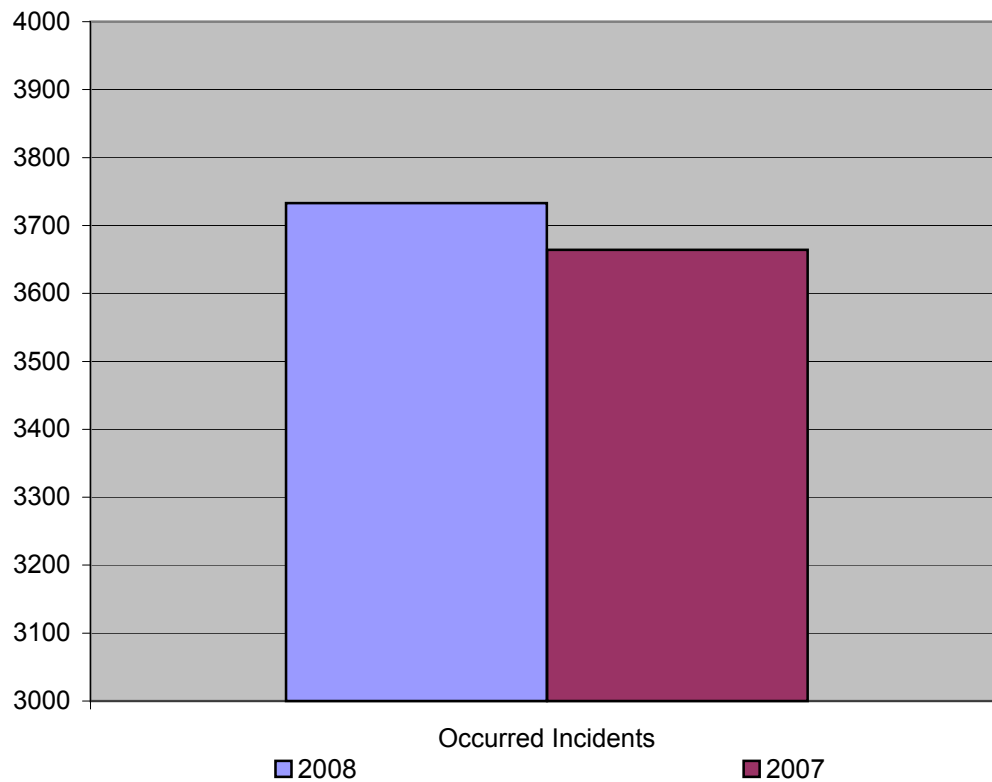
2008		2007	
Personal Services:	\$7,750,113.00	Personal Services:	\$7,016,615.00
Benefits:	\$4,228,587.00	Benefits:	\$3,726,760.00
Supplies:	\$513,595.00	Supplies:	\$387,700.00
Services:	\$1,552,120.00	Services:	\$1,437,230.00
Equipment:	\$86,435.00	Equipment:	\$45,200.00
TOTAL:	\$14,130,850.00	TOTAL:	\$12,613,505.00





Carmel Police Department Total Reportable Incidents 2008 / 2007

2008 Offenses	2007 Offenses	Percent Change
3733	3664	1.88%





Carmel Police Department FBI Uniform Crime Statistics

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program was developed in the 1920's by the International Association of Chiefs of Police to create a uniform set of crime statistics for analysis. At that time, eight crimes were selected for analysis. The FBI collects these statistics monthly from law enforcement agencies across the country.

Catagories Of Offenses	2008	2007	% Chg
Murder	0	2	-100%
Robbery	5	6	-17%
Rape	10	7	43%
Assault	149	135	10%
Burglary	133	124	7%
Vehicle Theft	44	48	-8%
Theft	795	836	-5%
Arson	0	0	0%
Totals:	1136	1158	-2%



Carmel Police Department Offenses By Incident Type 2008 / 2007

OTHER OFFENSES

	Annual		
	From 1-Jan-08 To 31-Dec-08	From 1-Jan-07 To 31-Dec-07	Percent Change (+) / (-)
Accident	4	8	-50.00%
Accident - (Hit & Run)	137	175	-21.71%
Alcohol Offense-All Other	77	68	13.24%
Alcohol Offense-OWI	215	182	18.13%
Animal Report	17	8	112.50%
Assist Other Agency	4	3	33.33%
Bomb Threat	1	2	-50.00%
Child Abuse/Neglect	71	59	20.34%
Child Molestation	16	13	23.08%
Child Sex Crimes - Other	17	15	13.33%
Counterfeiting	10	1	900.00%
Criminal Mischief	270	309	-12.62%
Criminal Recklessness	7	3	133.33%
Damage to Property	6	4	50.00%
Death Investigation	23	27	-14.81%
Disorderly Conduct	7	5	40.00%
Domest Report - No Battery	12	9	33.33%
Driving Offenses (except OWI)	899	761	18.13%
Drug - Commun Nuisance	2	5	-60.00%
Drug - Dealing	66	95	-30.53%
Drug - OWI	11	12	-8.33%
Drug - Paraphernalia	9	13	-30.77%
Drug Possession	136	144	-5.56%
Elderly Abuse/Neglect	0	3	-100.00%
False Reporting	7	9	-22.22%
Forgery	6	12	-50.00%
Found Property	10	4	150.00%

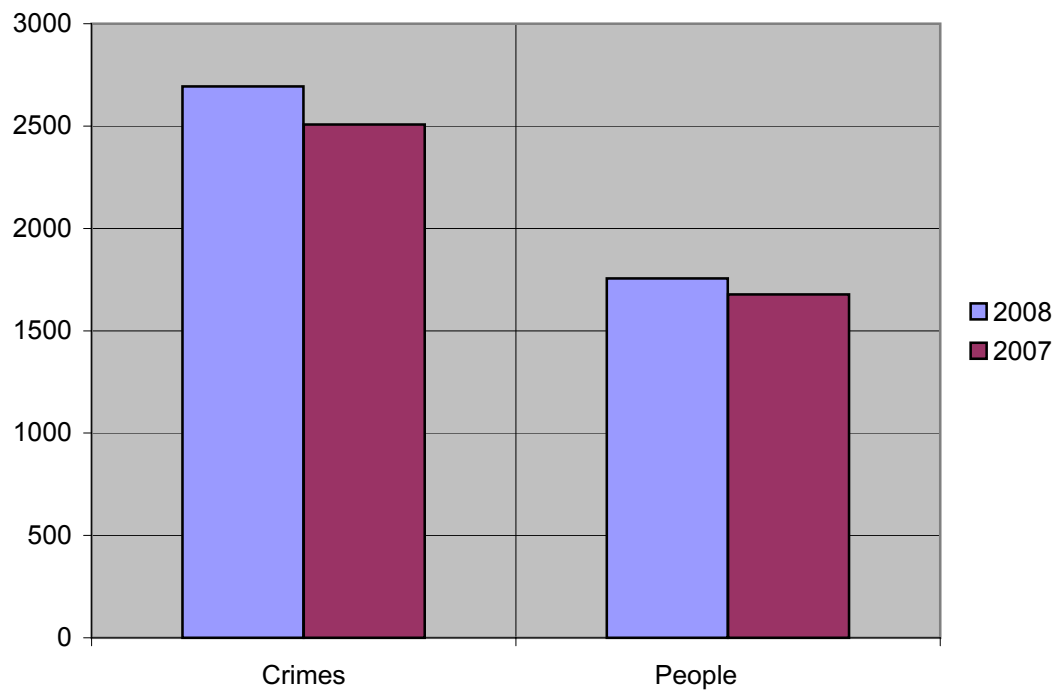
OTHER OFFENSES

	Annual		
	From 1-Jan-08 To 31-Dec-08	From 1-Jan-07 To 31-Dec-07	Percent Change (+) / (-)
Fraud/Deception	170	192	-11.46%
Harassment	88	113	-22.12%
Immediate/Health Detention	26	10	160.00%
Impersonation	3	0	100.00%
Indecency/Nudity	5	8	-37.50%
Interference/Obstructing	0	2	-100.00%
Invasion of Privacy/Stalking	25	25	0.00%
Juvenile Status Offenses	47	42	11.90%
Kidnap/Confinement	1	1	0.00%
Lost Property	8	3	166.67%
Missing Person	27	19	42.11%
Other-Not Listed	18	5	260.00%
Overdose	5	4	25.00%
Prostitution	2	6	-66.67%
Prowler	0	1	-100.00%
Recovered Stolen Property	9	14	-35.71%
Recovered Stolen Vehicle	7	2	250.00%
Residential Entry	10	13	-23.08%
Resisting Law Enforcement	14	18	-22.22%
Sex Crime - Adult - Other	13	6	116.67%
Suicide	15	7	114.29%
Threats/Intimidation	35	32	9.38%
Trash/Littering	1	0	100.00%
Trespass	0	4	-100.00%
Warrant Arrest	19	22	-13.64%
Weapons Violation	9	8	12.50%
Totals	2,040	1,949	4.67%



CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT **ADULT ARRESTS/COUNTS** **2008 / 2007 SUMMARY**

2008			2007		Percent Change (# Indiv) (+) / (-)
JAN 01 THRU Dec 31					
Crimes	People Charged		Crimes	People Charged	
2694	1756		2508	1677	4.71%





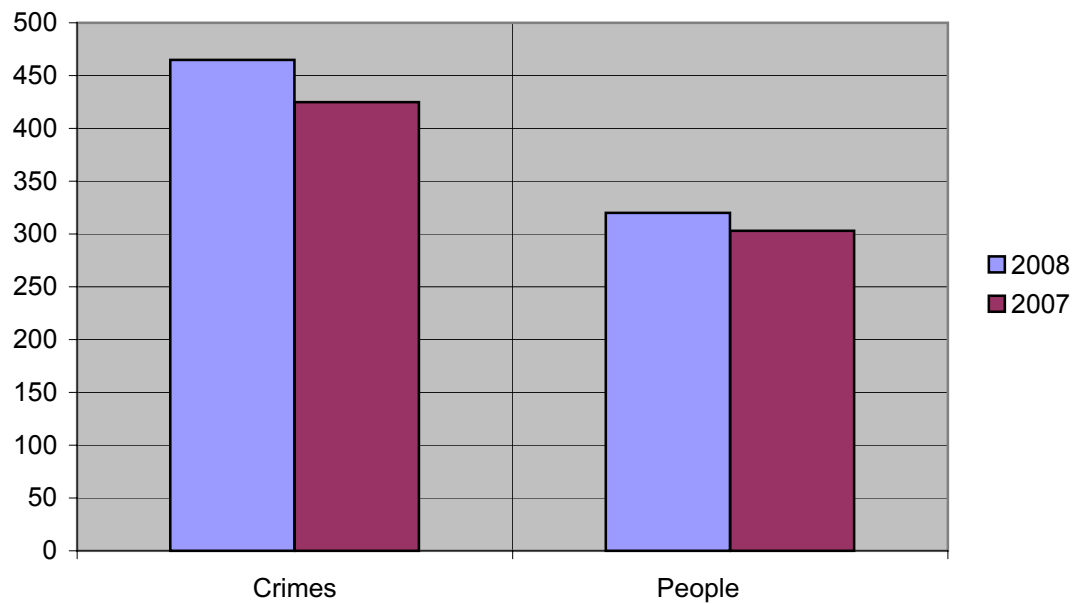
**CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT
ANNUAL COMPARISONS
OF 2008 AND 2007
ADULT ARRESTS**

CATEGORIES	2008			2007		Percent Change (# Indiv) (+) / (-)
	JAN 01		THRU	Dec 31		
	Counts	# Indiv Charged		Counts	# Indiv Charged	
Murder	0	0		1	1	-100.00%
Rape	1	1		0	0	100.00%
Robbery	0	0		2	1	-100.00%
Vehicle Theft	23	7		8	4	75.00%
Burglary	13	8		8	7	14.29%
Aggravated Assault	21	19		21	20	-5.00%
Drug Abuse	415	383		405	370	3.51%
Liquor Laws	147	139		150	146	-4.79%
Theft	159	107		122	90	18.89%
Other Assaults	25	24		23	22	9.09%
Forgery / Counterfeiting	14	9		19	11	-18.18%
Weapons	30	30		18	18	66.67%
Offenses Against The Family	7	7		19	11	-36.36%
Operating While Intoxicated	395	393		388	205	91.71%
Disorderly Conduct	10	0		7	7	-100.00%
Sex Offense	11	8		4	3	166.67%
Prostitution / Comm Vice	4	4		6	6	-33.33%
Fraud	38	17		7	7	142.86%
Child Molestation	4	3		3	1	200.00%
Child Solicitation	0	0		6	2	-100.00%
Resisting	37	37		26	26	42.31%
Traffic	1010	974		865	856	13.79%
Warrant	155	155		189	189	-17.99%
Hit & Run	34	21		44	41	-48.78%
Identity Deception	2	2		11	11	-81.82%
Kidnapping	2	2		8	5	-60.00%
Criminal Mischief	18	12		30	18	-33.33%
All Other Offenses	119	99		118	107	-7.48%



CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT JUVENILE ARRESTS/COUNTS 2008 / 2007 SUMMARY

2008			2007		Percent Change (# Indiv) (+) / (-)
JAN 01 THRU Dec 31					
Crimes	People Charged		Crimes	People Charged	
465	320		425	303	5.61%





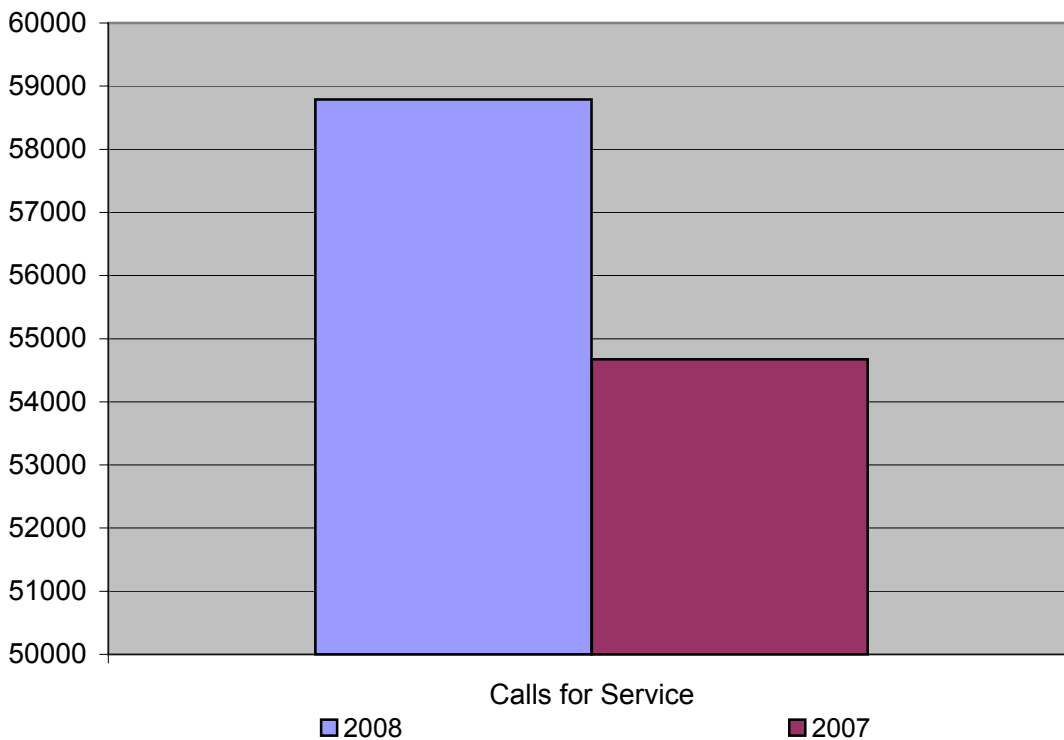
**CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT
ANNUAL COMPARISON
2008 / 2007
JUVENILE ARRESTS**

CATEGORIES	Annual				
	2008		2007		Percent Change (Indiv) (+) / (-)
	JAN 01	THRU DEC 31	JAN 01	THRU DEC 31	
	Counts	Indiv	Counts	Indiv	
Murder	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Rape	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Vehicle Theft	0	0	1	1	-100.00%
Burglary	2	2	5	5	-60.00%
Aggravated Assault	19	14	11	11	27.27%
Drug Abuse	78	70	88	85	-17.65%
Liquor Laws	80	69	59	57	21.05%
Runaways	28	16	27	22	-27.27%
Curfew / Loitering	19	18	2	2	800.00%
Theft	66	50	72	57	-12.28%
Other Assaults	28	28	31	20	40.00%
Forgery / Counterfeiting	0	0	1	1	-100.00%
Weapons	4	4	5	4	0.00%
Offenses Against The Family	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Operating While Intoxicated	8	8	5	5	60.00%
Disorderly Conduct	8	8	7	6	33.33%
Sex Offense	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Fraud	0	0	2	2	-100.00%
Hit & Run	3	3	5	4	-25.00%
Identity Deception	0	0	1	1	-100.00%
Criminal Mischief	18	11	15	11	0.00%
Resisting Law Enforcement	19	19	15	15	26.67%
Traffic	22	22	26	25	-12.00%
Warrant	17	8	7	3	166.67%
Stolen Property	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Arson	0	0	0	0	0.00%
All Other Offenses	46	38	40	31	22.58%



CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT CALLS FOR SERVICE SUMMARY 2008 / 2007

2008 Calls for Service	2007 Calls for Service	Percent Change
58788	54675	7.52%





**Carmel Police Department
Calls For Service Comparison
2008 / 2007**

CATEGORIES	Annual		
	Jan 01 Thru Dec 31		Percent Change (-) / (+)
	2008	2007	
911 Hang Up	543	505	7.52%
Abandoned Auto	229	245	-6.53%
Accident - Aircraft	0	2	-100.00%
Accident -Hit & Run PD	108	108	0.00%
Accident -Hit & Run PI	0	2	-100.00%
Accident Inverted No Patient Info	3	7	-57.14%
Accident - Minor	0	4	-100.00%
Accident PD	2053	2192	-6.34%
Accident-Person Struck	4	5	-20.00%
Accident PI	198	234	-15.38%
Accident Serious PI	10	15	-33.33%
Accident-Unknown	35	52	-32.69%
Alarm-Burglar	2755	2737	0.66%
Alarm-Hold Up	223	202	10.40%
Animal Complaint	717	746	-3.89%
Assist Other Department	1211	1195	1.34%
Assist Public	391	0	100.00%
Battery	91	81	12.35%
Bomb Device Found	1	2	-50.00%
Bomb Threat	0	1	-100.00%
Burglary	212	191	10.99%
Case Follow Up	72	0	100.00%
Child Welfare	89	43	106.98%
Civil Dispute	202	165	22.42%
Criminal Mischief	473	518	-8.69%
Damage to Property	89	101	-11.88%
Death Investigation	10	10	0.00%
Directed Patrol	563	1552	-63.72%
Disturbance	284	259	9.65%
Domestic	334	339	-1.47%
Driving Complaint	1201	1150	4.43%
Electronic Monitoring Violation	25	4	525.00%
Escape	0	3	-100.00%
Escort	40	64	-37.50%
F Alarm CO	0	1	-100.00%

CATEGORIES	Annual		
	Jan 01 Thru Dec 31		Percent Change (-) / (+)
	2008	2007	
Fight	39	53	-26.42%
Fireworks Complaint	78	117	-33.33%
Found/Lost Property	271	225	20.44%
Harassment	308	293	5.12%
Injured Person	1	0	100.00%
Intoxicated Person	67	68	-1.47%
Investigation	3415	3488	-2.09%
Jail Incident	0	1	-100.00%
Juvenile Complaint	462	473	-2.33%
Kidnapping/Confinement	2	0	100.00%
Lock Out	1448	1396	3.72%
Mental Person	49	56	-12.50%
Missing Person	151	124	21.77%
Notification	39	54	-27.78%
Ordinance Misc.	594	481	23.49%
Prowler	12	28	-57.14%
Robbery	17	14	21.43%
Security Check	9703	7489	29.56%
Sex Offenses	32	27	18.52%
Solicitor	192	213	-9.86%
Suicide	40	24	66.67%
Suspicious Activity	1774	1416	25.28%
Test	26	11	136.36%
Theft	1257	1269	-0.95%
Traffic Hazard	2385	3118	-23.51%
Transport	39	58	-32.76%
Trespassing	46	39	17.95%
TS (Traffic Stop)	22824	19900	14.69%
VIN Check	563	669	-15.84%
Warrant Service	225	244	-7.79%
Weapons Complaint	64	41	56.10%
Welfare Check	499	551	-9.44%
TOTALS	58,788	54,675	7.52%

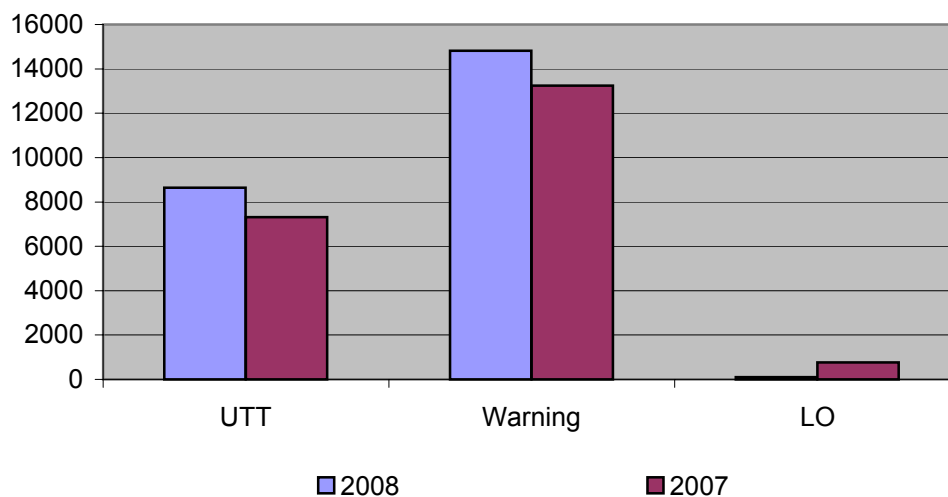


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Traffic Enforcement

2008 / 2007 SUMMARY

2008 Tickets		2007 Tickets		% Change (+) / (-)
Ticket	8648	Ticket	7317	18.19%
Warning	14810	Warning	13245	11.82%
Ordinance	103	Ordinanace	760	-86.45%
TOTAL	23561	TOTAL	21322	10.50%





Carmel Police Department

Accidents

The Statistics Below Are For Reportable Accidents Only.
(Accidents Which Cause An Injury, A Death, And/Or Cause Over \$750 Of Damage.)

Accident Types	2008	2007	% Chg
Property Damage	1,662	1,654	0%
Personal Injury	150	185	-19%
Fatality	2	5	-60%
Totals:	1,814	1,844	-2%

Other Accident Statistics	2008	2007	% Chg
Number Vehicles Involved	3,270	3,618	-10%
Number Of Occupants	4,223	4,677	-10%
Number Of Injuries	233	233	0%
Amount Of Damage	\$7,154,975	\$7,875,875	-9%
Average Damage Cost Per Vehicle	\$2,188	\$2,177	1%
Primary Cause Was Alcohol	32	37	-14%
Secondary Cause Was Alcohol	7	28	-75%
Hit And Run Accidents	136	176	-23%
Accidents Occurring In Round-Abouts	46	131	-65%
Accidents Involving Commercial Veh's	60	78	-23%
Accidents Occurring In Parking Lots	171	257	-33%
Drivers Wearing Seatbelts	96.18%	94.89%	1%
Injured Wearing Seatbelts	85.93%	85.41%	1%



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